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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Gabor DIOSI, Josef HAUPT and Martin  
BREHMER  
Serial no. : 10/633,409  
Filed : August 1, 2003  
For : A MULTISTAGE AUTOMATIC TRANSMISSION  
WITH THREE PLANETARY GEAR SETS  
Docket : ZAHFRI P539US

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The Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

By way of preliminary amendment, please amend the above identified application as set forth below.

**In the Drawings:**

Please amend Figs. 1 and 2 of the drawings presently on file per the attached Submission. The Applicant respectfully requests deferment of formal entry of such drawing amendments until such time as the Examiner approves the requested drawing amendment(s).

**In the Specification:**

Please amend paragraphs 002, 003, 004, 010, 011, 024, 025 and 039 of the specification as follows in which the specification additions are shown by underlining and the specification deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the replacement specification paragraphs into the record of this case.

**In the Claims:**

Please cancel claim 1, without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter therein, in favor of new claims 62-122 as follows.

**In the Abstract:**

Please amend the Abstract of the Disclosure as follows in which the deletions are shown by strikeout. Please enter the amended Abstract of the Disclosure into the record of this case.